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SECOND SATURDAY AT MCNARY NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Discover what you can make with sticks, leaves, cattails, rocks or milkweed pods. Craft a nature home for small creatures, make a toy or even weave a tiny raft to float on the wetland. We'll show you how. Bring your imagination and your family to McNary National Wildlife Refuge's Environmental Education Center for Second Saturday on Saturday, July 10th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. This event is sponsored by the Friends of the Mid-Columbia River Wildlife Refuges and is free to the public.

The McNary National Wildlife Refuge Environmental Education Center is located at 311 Lake Road in Burbank, WA. From the Tri-Cities, go east on I-182 and US Highway 12 to Burbank. At the Humorist Road stoplight, turn left. Turn left on Lake Road and travel ½ mile to the Education Center on the left. For more information, call the Friends at 509-546-8352.

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